

**Motor Vehicle Traffic Safety Facts, Lee County, Mississippi****Trend of Fatalities, 1997-2001**

		1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Fatality Counts	Total Fatalities	17	24	27	22	12
	Alcohol-Related	7	9	11	7	5
	Single Vehicle	8	17	16	11	7
	Non-Junction	13	20	21	12	9
	Intersection	2	2	5	10	2
	Intersection-Related	1	2	0	0	0
	Speeding Involved	6	9	7	2	2
	Pedestrians	2	2	1	2	1
	Pedalcyclists	0	1	0	0	0
	Large Truck Involved	2	2	2	1	2
	Roadway Departure	11	17	20	15	9
	Passenger Car Occupants	11	16	19	14	6
	Light Truck/Van Occupants	4	4	6	6	5
	Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	0	1	0	0	0
	Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	15	21	25	20	11
	Motorcycle Riders	0	0	1	0	0

Source: Fatality Analysis Reporting System (FARS) Files

**Passenger Vehicle Occupant Deaths (age 5+)
By Restraint Use, 2001**

Fatalities	Total	Restrained	Unrestrained	Unknown
2001	11	3	7	1

**Motorcyclist Rider Deaths (age 5+)
By Helmet Use, 2001**

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Fatalities, Fatality Rates per 100,000 Population and Ranks Within State, 2001

	2001			
	Fatalities	Rank Within State	Fatality Rate	Rank Within State
Total Fatalities	12	17	15.64	73
Alcohol-Related	5	21	6.52	60
Single Vehicle	7	20	9.12	67
Non-Junction	9	20	11.73	71
Intersection	2	25	2.61	56
Intersection-Related	0	0	0	0
Speeding Involved	2	30	2.61	57
Pedestrians	1	29	1.30	32
Pedalcyclists	0	0	0	0
Large Truck Involved	2	21	2.61	41
Roadway Departure	9	18	11.73	66
Passenger Car Occupants	6	23	7.82	65
Light Truck/Van Occupants	5	14	6.52	59
Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	0	0	0	0
Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	11	18	14.34	69
Motorcycle Riders	0	0	0	0

Rank =1 indicates Highest Number of Fatalities or Fatality Rate in State.